

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Samuel M. Shaolian et al.
App. No : 10/722,367
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For : GRAFT DEPLOYMENT SYSTEM
Examiner : Ryan J. Severson
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Conf No. : 4603

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED NOVEMBER 12, 2009**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 12, 2009 (hereinafter, "Office Action"), please amend the above-referenced application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.